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THE GREAT

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OF THE DAY.

MR. W. T. CLAPP HAVING LOCATED permanently in Los Angeles, will to the business pertaining to the

'Wilcox Steam Water Lift

For me in Los Angeles county. My purpose will find Mr. Clapp to be a fair and honest business man. Call and see him at his residence, San Gabriel Orange Grove Association, San Gabriel, or address P. O. Box 73, Los Angeles.

JOHN WILCOX
San Francisco, May 17, 1874.



THE Los Angeles Water Company has commenced suit against the HERALD Publishing Company for libel, claiming damages in the sum of \$25,000. There are various opinions as to the object of the Water Company in commencing the suit. Some suppose that they wish to determine the truth or falsity of the *Express's* assertion that Mr. BEAUDRY owns the HERALD; others that it is an electioneering trick intended to crush out the HERALD, and still others are uncharitable enough to believe that the company have gone into the liquor business and really wish an investigation of the water works.

Old Line Whigs.

An honorable old political party, were the old line Whigs. Though dead, they yet live. They were in advance of all other political parties in their day, and were in reality a progressive party, and in their ranks were found a band of the most enlightened statesmen of the last generation. A few of these old worthies are yet living, calm and serene. They look on the present political muddle with the quietude of impartial observers. They are generally well posted in regard to all the political changes of our Government, and it is with the greatest pleasure they point to the principles they advocated, in their day, and which the present parties are now contending for, as the only hope of the Government. Of one thing they boast (of which we are not certain) "that among the hosts of men who have disgraced the name of Americans by giving or receiving bribes in office, taking back pay, and filling their pockets by means of the Credit Mobilier, there is not to be found, in all that vast crowd, the name of an old line Whig, who had attained to any prominence during the existence of the Whig party." If this be so, we shall have a veneration for that old party we never had before. A glorious thing it would be for the American people, if the Lord would visit the valley of dry bones and resurrect that old party.

Not Parallel Cases.

Under the head of "The Two Franchises" the *Express* uses the following language: "If the Mayoralty fight is between BEAUDRY and SABICHI, as is claimed, we cannot see that there is any advantage on either side. The former would represent a water franchise as amenable to objection as that of the old company, as they both claim to be contracts of a permanent character." For SABICHI should be written TIFFANY, but of that no matter. Mr. TIFFANY represents the Los Angeles Water Company which claims to own the exclusive right to lay down water pipes and to furnish water within the corporate limits of this city. Mr. BEAUDRY obtained from the Council the privilege of conveying water to a portion of the city to which the Water Company had never laid their pipes and refused to do. But here is the point—and it is a very important one—of dissimilarity between the two parties. Mr. BEAUDRY does not claim an exclusive franchise. He is willing that the Los Angeles Water Company shall lay down pipes side by side with his own and sell or give away the water. Further than this, Mr. BEAUDRY does not wish or intend to compete with a single rod of pipe that the company now has in the ground. The facts of the case are that the Los Angeles Water Company claim the exclusive right to run water on every block in the city but neglect to exercise the right. Mr. BEAUDRY claims the right to convey water to portions of the city where the Company have not conveyed it, but at the same time he admits the right of any one to lay down pipes by the side of his own. Thus it will be seen that the parallel of the *Express* is no parallel at all, and like all its other arguments this one will not hold water.

The Question at Issue.

The question which will be decided with the closing of the polls on the evening of December 7th is one not difficult to understand. Divested of all sophistry, glamour and verbiage, it simply amounts to a contest between the people and less than a dozen citizens. It is a contest which shall determine whether the city government shall pass to the control of the majority of the voters and taxpayers or be once more resumed by the clique whose supremacy has been almost interrupted for more than a score of years. This is the whole matter in a nutshell. If the majority of the voters of Los Angeles are satisfied with the present management of the city; if they think a little wooden sewer, less than three hundred feet in length, is worth \$27,000 of the people's money; if they think it right to issue thousands of dollars worth of scrip for no one knows what, and of which even the stubs ends of the checks cannot be found; if they think the vast revenue raised by taxation and the sale of the city's lands has been carefully and judiciously expended; if they think they have all the street, sidewalk and sewer improvements that could have been made for the money; if they think no more or better public buildings could be

had without an increase of taxation; if they think unlawful special franchise claims should longer blight the city; if they think the city should be held to the strict letter of a contract while the party of the second part habitually and systematically violates its part of the compact; if they think the city's progress and development should be retarded through claims of vested rights, by which the claimants prevent others from making improvements that they themselves refuse to make; if they think the prosperity of the many should be sacrificed to the interest of the few, then the policy of the *Express* is right, the ring will triumph, Mr. TIFFANY will be elected, the people will go on paying heavy taxes, and Los Angeles will retain her poor sewerage, her muddy streets and her dilapidated sidewalks.

The Elections.

The returns we have received from the Eastern elections which took place on Monday and Tuesday are meagre, but indicate decisive results. In Louisiana the Conservatives or Democrats have swept the State, and thus the people administer a severe rebuke to the miserable policy of the Administration in maintaining in power the KILLGORE faction. New York astonishes us. Governor Dix is popular and his record is good. We had expected that he would be elected while the Democrats would elect the remainder of the State ticket and a majority of the Legislature. The returns tell a different story and report the election of TILDEN, the Democratic nominee for Governor, by 40,000 majority. Perhaps the one item of news from these elections that will afford the most universal pleasure is that announcing the defeat of BEN. BUTLER. He will not figure longer in Congress. The indications are that the Democrats have made immense gains everywhere—so great that in the next House of Representatives the Republicans will, for the first time in years, find themselves in the minority. What is the cause of this great change in political sentiment? will be asked by many. There is but one answer, which is that the policy of the Administration toward the South is a failure and the President's ambition for a third term is exceedingly obnoxious to the people.

The DeYoung-Naphtaly Case.

Judge Stanley made a new order on Saturday in the case of Charles De Young, which reads as follows: "Good cause appearing and existing therefor, although the said cause or causes have not been made to appear by the oath or affirmations of any witness and are based only on verbal communications addressed to and relied upon by the judge of this court as true, it is ordered that the case be continued for the term and be resubmitted to the next Grand Jury of the city and county of San Francisco." It will be remembered that De Young was presented to the late Grand Jury on a charge of an assault to murder B. F. Naphtaly and the jury ignored the complaint. On the 5th of September, the day the jury reported, Judge Stanley referred the complaint to the Grand Jury on the Court's own volition. Alexander Campbell, counsel for De Young, objected to the order on the ground that the information upon which the Court acted had not been judicially presented to it, and therefore the Court erred in re-submitting the case; also, that the order was defective, because it should state the causes upon which the court based its action. The motion to set aside the order was denied, and the counsel then moved that the same be modified. After hearing the arguments of Campbell and District Attorney Ryan, the above order was entered as of September 6th.—*S. F. Bulletin*, Oct. 31.

Railroad Accident.

RIZZO, November 1st.—The passenger train of the Virginia and Truckee Railroad, which arrives here at midnight, met with a serious disaster last night. As it was coming in at a full rate of speed it struck two flat cars about a mile south of town which had run down the side track and partially across the main track, completely demolishing the two flats and the engine. The engineer, Tom Clark, and fireman, John Webster, received very painful but not serious cuts and bruises. The passengers were killed about considerably, but fortunately none were hurt.

A Man Killed.

VIRGINIA CITY, October 31st.—A man named Morrish, a native of Cornwall, England, met with a fatal accident at the Chollar mine this morning. He went down in the cage with two other men, but was not sufficiently quick in jumping off the level before the cage again started. He went to jump out, but the cage commenced to ascend and he got caught between the cage and the beams and was smashed to death.

Nevada Election.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 3d.—The Nevada election passed off quietly, but no returns have yet been received. Probably no satisfactory returns can be received to-night.

Fatal Recounter.

PROCTOR, November 3d.—Last evening a gun battle occurred between Jas. King and Jas. Gleason. Pistols were drawn and several shots exchanged. King was mortally wounded and died less than a half an hour afterwards. Gleason was severely wounded but will probably live. King was a native of New York, aged thirty-seven years.

Stabbing Affray.

SILVER CITY, November 2d.—A man named Wm. Slamen was stabbed by his brother, Thomas Slamen, at Loganville, two miles from here. At last accounts the wound was not expected to prove fatal. It was done in a drunken row.

Latest Telegrams.

EASTERN.

Election Returns.—The Democrats Win Everywhere.

CHICAGO, November 1st.—In Alabama the Democrats claim five Congressmen. At Atlanta a serious riot occurred. Six whites were wounded, one mortally; eight negroes killed and twenty-nine wounded.

The Georgia Congressional Delegation will be Democratic. A. I. Stephens is elected to Congress.

The Illinois Republican State ticket is elected with Democratic gains. All through Kentucky the Democrats are successful; also in Maryland by large majorities.

Gaston, Democratic, is elected Governor of Massachusetts by 8,000 majority. The Republicans beat Ben Butler by over 1,000 majority.

The Republican majority of Michigan is about 5,000. The Woman's Suffrage Amendment to the Constitution is defeated.

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Won Her Way.

[Winona (Mich.) Correspondence of Chicago Tribune.]

I found here a widow lady—Mrs. George Peasly—at work in a marble shop with a number of men. She is cutting grave-stones, taking them in the rough, the same as the men, and is getting \$3 a day and puts in as much time as the average of men. She has a number of children. As a short sketch of her history may be interesting to our readers, I will give it as follows: When her husband died she was not able to buy a headstone complete, but bought a marble slab in the rough and finished it and it can be seen standing at the head of the grave, near the village of Penderson, Minn. She then carved some work and took it to a marble-worker in the city of Minneapolis, and told him she was a widow with a family of children and no work. The dealer examined the work, said it was good, and that he would give her work on two conditions—first, she should promise not to work for any other dealer; and secondly, she should promise to open business on her own account in the city of Minneapolis. She said she would agree to this if he would agree to keep her in the work all the time. But this lord of creation would agree to nothing of the kind. She went into St. Paul and there got work without special agreements. Finally she came to this city, and is now in the employ of Ed. T. Bogart.

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Mr. Shewell, of Shewell's Ranch has purchased the Chico, centerville, Diamondville, and Nimshew wagon-road.

The tract of land East of Chico, laid off by George Bidwell, has been purchased by settlers, and buildings are going up rapidly.

NEW TO-DAY.

Bargains! Great Bargains! Anyone desirous of obtaining a cheap box of good Havana cigars, should embrace this opportunity and come at once, as I intend to leave on a foreign trip, and will have a low price to make room for a large stock of cigars on its way from the East. Do not lose this opportunity and call at—

Main St., next to W. F. & Co's Express. The latest Illustrated Papers always on hand.

TOILET.—THREE OR FOUR FURNISHED rooms suitable for man and wife with or without children. The use of the bath is very desirable. Call at 24 First Street, between First and Second. nov4-3d

To Patrons. THE NEXT REGULAR SESSION of the Los Angeles and San Bernardino District Council will be held on Tuesday next, Nov. 10th, at 7 o'clock P. M. All attendance is very desirable. THOS. A. GAREY, Master, J. F. MARQUESS, Secretary, nov4-3d

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NEW STYLES

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Serges,

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In all Qualities and Shades.

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Also,—

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To match our DRESS GOODS.

SHAWLS!

FRENCH BROCHE, SCOTCH SHAWLS, in great variety.

Baby Linen and

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Children's Hosiery,

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THURSDAY, NOV. 5, 1874.
TERMS OF ADVERTISING.
ONE DOLLAR per square of ten lines, first insertion, and TWENTY-FIVE cents per square for each subsequent insertion.

POSTAL CHANGES.
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LOCAL BREVITIES.
Fine weather.
Montgomery Queen is in Santa Barbara.
Our city still progresses in the acquisition of hoodlum boys.
H. R. H. will find a letter at this office for him from Virginia City, Nevada.
A new Wilcox & Gibbs sewing machine can be purchased cheap for cash. Apply at this office.

The Florence Kent Company left for Anaheim yesterday to give an entertainment at that place.
The Orizaba sails for San Francisco and Santa Barbara to-day. Passengers will take the 3:15 p. m. train.
It is said that not a single half-dollar is left in Sonora since the conclusion of the Fair and the departure of the circus.

Los Angeles is not in a condition to appreciate entertainments at the present time. Her small change is all gone.

There are telegrams at the Telegraph office for Mrs. H. B. Jones, C. W. White, James Ramage and Jose M. Ontibias.

Mr. Lehman wishes us to state that the party who steals his supply of milk in the morning will confer a favor by returning the pitcher.

The civil case of Gabriel vs. Newman was brought up in the District Court yesterday and set for November 25th.

Gay still prosecutes his labor of love in constructing the Main street sewer. The City Fathers and taxpayers are elated at the idea of getting the sewer for nothing.

Charlie Bush leaves on the Orizaba to-day for San Francisco. He goes up for the purpose of purchasing large additions to his stock of watches and other fine jewelry.

The next regular session of the Los Angeles and San Bernardino District Council will be held next Tuesday, November 10th, at Compton. A full attendance is particularly requested.

There was a fair attendance at Little Mae's Minstrel performance at Turn-Verein Hall last night and the entertainment passed off with its quantum of fun. The troupe will hold forth again at Turn-Verein Hall to-night.

Game is abundant in the vicinity of Will Tell's Seaside House. A number of gentlemen from the East have recently spent a week in that locality and report an abundance of fine duck, plover, snipe and geese.

The Lyceum at its meeting next Friday evening will discuss the question of capital punishment—whether it is detrimental to the morals and welfare of humanity and ought to be abolished.

The Grange Store is now receiving a full line of wagons and farming implements which are sold with a slight percentage added to the actual cost. Read the new advertisement of the Grange Store to-day and you will know where to go to procure goods cheap, whether you are a Granger or not.

The Annual Teachers' Institute of Los Angeles county will meet in this city at Good Templars' Hall, on Monday, November 9th, at 1 p. m., and continue in session for five days. Private school teachers, public school trustees and others interested in the cause of education are invited to be present.

The plat of Township 1 N., 7 W. is on file in the United States Land Office and the land therein is now subject to homestead or pre-emption entry. The land lies in the valley near the Cucamonga Homestead property and comprises a good farming section, upon which, no doubt, water can be secured by boring artesian wells. There are also some springs flowing from the sides of the mountains, but the present water rights are all taken up. The land is held at \$2.50 per acre by Government.

Races.

We have been favored by Mr. Gates with a copy of a contract entered into between Mr. Welsh and Mr. Rose for a trial of speed between their horses, Vaughan and the Moor, to come off this month. The contract will explain itself.

W. J. Welch matches his horse Vaughan with L. J. Rose's horse, the Moor, in two races: the first to come off Saturday, the 21st of November, 1874, mile heats, best three in two; Mr. Welch to drive and go to wagon; Rose's entry to harness and rule, for two hundred and fifty dollars a side and gate money to be divided. The second race, two mile heats to harness; Mr. Welch to drive, for the same amount and otherwise to rule, the Saturday following. There is a forfeit put up of two hundred dollars each, or one hundred dollars each on each race, and on Friday, before the same race, the entire amount for both races is to be deposited with the holder, Thos. Gates, Esq., when all the money and both races shall become play or pay. (Signed) L. J. ROSE, W. J. WELCH.

Los Angeles, Nov. 24, 1874.
The pool selling on these races will take place at the Fashion Saloon of Wolf & Gates on the evenings preceding the days set.

The Templar Social Club gave their first reception at Grange Hall last night. The attendance was not so large as might have been expected for an affair in a measure connected with so popular and numerous an organization as the Good Templar Lodge. Enough were present, however, to make the reception very pleasant, and the company enjoyed the dance to their hearts' content. We shall have all the school ma'ams in the county here next week.

Chas. Miller, the man who was found in possession of a lot of clothing and jewelry stolen from the boarders at the U. S. Hotel last August, had his trial in the County Court yesterday. Detective Officer Harris, who had the affair in charge from the outset, did not stop with the simple detection and arrest of the thief, but succeeded in weaving such a network of evidence around him that escape from justice was impossible. Miller was found guilty by the jury of both charges and sentenced to the penitentiary and housebreaking—and he will receive his sentence to-day.

Mr. Johnson in New York.

From papers received from Mr. J. A. Johnson, we learn that his lectures were to occur in that city on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, October 27th and 28th. That our citizens may understand how Mr. Johnson prosecutes his enterprise for the delectation of the New Yorkers, we append portions of a circular of which he had twenty thousand copies printed and distributed in the schools, colleges and hotels of the city. The circular states that Mr. J. A. Johnson editor and proprietor of the Santa Barbara Press, and of the Illustrated Weekly Press of Southern California, has had the chief objects of interest in the six Southern counties of California, the semi-tropical portion of the State, photographed by Professor W. E. James, the photographer of the expedition to Egypt and Palestine, which has been immortalized by Mark Twain in his "Innocents Abroad." It took eleven weeks, nearly two thousand miles' travel, and cost more than two thousand dollars gold, to secure these views, which embrace the orange groves, almond orchards, vineyards, ranches, cities, villages, old missions, and scenery of Southern California.

Two hundred of these views are presented to illustrate the two lectures on Southern California by Mr. Johnson, who has resided there eight years, and at that time as Editor of the Press, and who has just spent six months in traveling over the six Southern counties, where the photographs were taken, and is able to give full and reliable information concerning the localities most favorable for the cure of various diseases and the places best suited for agriculture or business. By the aid of the stereoscopic views are magnified till they are twenty feet square, so that an audience of three or four thousand can examine them with perfect ease.

Views of Yosemite, scenes of the railroad and views of San Francisco and the Golden Gate, are also given as introductory to the first lecture, which includes the counties of San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and Ventura.

The second lecture embraces the counties of Los Angeles, Diego and San Bernardino, with views of the orange groves, vineyards, etc.

Enough is now known of this wonderful region to establish the fact that Southern California has climate equal to any portion of Italy, or of the world; but it is not generally known that more than a half a million acres of land which produces the fig, the olive, the orange, the lemon, the lime, the almond, the walnut, and the Italian chestnut, all in perfection, as well as the ordinary cereals and ordinary fruits of other States of the Union, has been put upon the market within a few months past. The territory represented by these six counties is almost equal to the whole State of Illinois.

These statements and the genuineness of Mr. Johnson's representations are corroborated by favorable notices re-published from the San Francisco Alta and Call, Chicago Tribune and Detroit Post, Tribune and Free Press. The New York Times of the 25th notes the lectures as follows: "Mr. J. A. Johnson, editor of the Santa Barbara Press, opens a somewhat novel exhibition at Cooper Institute to-morrow night. He proposes to give two lectures on Southern California, a region which he calls 'New Italy.' The lectures are to be illustrated by illuminated stereoscopic views of the localities, objects, and scenes described by the speaker. As these views are taken from nature, and the lecturer is 'to the manner born,' the attempt to bring that far-off land to our very doors cannot fail to be attractive as well as honestly made."

In a letter to the Santa Barbara Press, Mr. Johnson states that southern California is a land almost as little known to the intelligent men of New York in general as mid-Africa. This ignorance of our portion of the State, Mr. Johnson is doing his best endeavor to dispel and if he does not succeed it will be neither his fault nor that of the method of enlighten which he adopts.

Correspondence.

LOS ANGELES, CAL., NOV. 4, 1874.

MISS DOMINGO OLIVAS:
We, the undersigned, your friends, recognizing your musical talent and the generosity with which you have invariably responded to any request made to you for your assistance in concerts given for charitable purposes, take the liberty of tendering you a complimentary literary and musical soiree, to be given during the present month, at such time and place as may best suit your convenience.

We are, with high respect and esteem, your friends,
John G. Downey, H. K. S. O'Melveny, Wm. R. Rowland, E. E. Fisher, Eugene Meyer & Co., Charles E. Miles, F. P. F. Temple, J. L. Ward & Co., Aaron Smith, H. McLellan, T. E. Rowan, Polaski & Goodwin, Workman Bros., B. L. Peel, J. A. Ellis, Wm. Friedman, Thos. Ross, A. W. Potts, W. J. Brodrick, I. Sepulveda, and many others.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 4, 1874.
To Gov. John G. Downey, H. K. S. O'Melveny and others:
GENTLEMEN—Your very flattering note has been received. I gratefully accept your kind offer, and with your kind permission will name Templar's Hall as the place and Friday evening, November 20th, as the time for the proposed soiree.

Very respectfully your ob't s'v't,
DOMINGO OLIVAS.

TWO SOULS WITH BUT ONE BODY.

[From the Religious-Philosophical Journal.]
A subscriber sends the following. It is indeed curious and well worthy of perusal:

That most shrewd of modern observers, the Rev. C. C. Colton, laid it down as a truism that "men are the same, and wrote a book to prove it. Yet in a second volume he is constrained to say, "There is an idiosyncrasy in mind no less than in body, for some individuals have a peculiar constitution, both of head and heart, which sets all analogy and all calculation at defiance. There is an occult disturbing force within them that designates them as unclassified anomalies and hybrids; they form the corps partielles of exceptions to all general rules, being at times full as unlike to themselves as to others." That his second judgment is the more correct, will, we think, admit of no doubt, and it is to one of these anomalies in human nature we wish to call attention. In the Summer of 1865 it was the writer's good fortune to visit the home of Mr. Samuel Buck, near Conneaut, Ashtabula county, Ohio, an elderly gentleman, whose extraordinary character is perhaps without a parallel in history or romance. His eccentricities were not suffered to find their way into the newspapers during his lifetime, but the facts here given are vouched for by a large circle of acquaintances, and now that he is beyond the reach of prying curiosity there is less restraint in giving them publicity.

He was then, as for many years before and afterward, living alone in a little farm cottage well furnished with household articles, books, pictures, mementoes, etc., and as tidily kept as any in the village. He was a tall, thin, perhaps sixty-five years of age, of medium stature, prepossessing in appearance, and, considering his years, remarkably erect and active. He was well informed on most of the topics of the day and an agreeable conversationalist; had given considerable attention to mechanical inventions and in a sort of private curiosity shop he kept an assortment of models and several fonts of wood type, which he had whittled out with a jackknife. But what is most unaccountable, this man, though neither a lunatic nor hermaphrodite, was living a two-fold life. At the time of our visit he was dressed as a lady, and received and entertained his visitors as such. He had on a costly black silk dress of the "Lady Washington" style, a pattern just then affected by the most fashionable ladies of the village. His hair, which was touched with gray, and when free fell down on his shoulders, was tastefully done up and secured under a black lace cap, becoming his age. The clear complexion, and smooth face, the unstudied air of ease and graceful carriage, even the insinuating gossip, rendered the illusion perfect. The dress was made by the village mantua-maker, who reported that he was extremely surprised at the womanly figure of the man, and that he was extremely surprised at the womanly figure of the man, and that he was extremely surprised at the womanly figure of the man.

So complete did he enter into all the thoughts and feelings of a woman, that he was evidently unconscious of acting in a borrowed part, and to all intents and purposes was for the time being what he assumed to be, a woman. At such times he would speak of himself as Mrs. Buck and of Mr. Buck as absent. When the morning work was done and the hour arrived for working in the field, the dress was exchanged for male attire, and the feminine character gave place to one every way masculine. Mr. Buck had returned and Mr. Buck was now absent, and so remained until domestic duties called her home in the evening, when the metamorphosis of the morning was reversed.

That this was not a mere childish conceit is almost demonstrable. There is every reason to believe that he was not fully conscious while in one state of what he said or did while in the other. Such incidents as the following are well authenticated, and were of almost daily occurrence. A neighbor calls in the morning and says:

"Mrs. Buck, I called to pay you for that cow."

"What cow?" he asks in surprise.

"Why, the cow I bought of Mr. Buck yesterday."

"Well," he rejoins with evident chagrin, "you will have to see him about it; he didn't say anything to me about selling the cow, or I would have opposed it."

By-and-by a lady calls for some article of lady's wear and finds Mr. Buck at home. He obligingly overhauls his wardrobe, trunks, etc., in masculine style, but returns with a confused look and says: "Really, madame, you will have to wait until Mrs. Buck returns. If I don't know where to find it." If the lady called in the morning, as requested, the article was forthcoming at once, and if the purchaser of the cow came at noon when Mr. Buck was at home there was no difficulty in having "to the manner born," the attempt to bring that far-off land to our very doors cannot fail to be attractive as well as honestly made.

On one occasion he went to the dress-maker's to get a new dress for Mrs. Buck, adding with the utmost naïveté, "It will be necessary to go to the house for the measure, as Mrs. Buck is quite ill and unable to come over." Some boys passing the house one morning, commenced blackguarding the person in petticoats, who burst into tears and sobbed, "If my husband was here he wouldn't see me abused so." Returning later in the day, the same person in petticoats took after them with a cudgel, yelling in unmistakable masculine tones, "Ha, you d—d blackguards; I'll teach you to insult my wife while I'm gone."

The part of the garden set apart for flowers was tended exclusively by Mrs. Buck; that for vegetables, exclusively by Mr. Buck. The former delighted to arrange little bouquets for the children; the latter would drive them from his premises as intruders.

When Mrs. Buck went visiting she took her knitting and gossiped, and when she received company she prepared tea and laid her hand to the able style. When Mr. Buck called, it was to discuss the crops and politics, and when called upon he would show his visitors his live stock or his curiosity shop, often expressing a regret that Mrs. Buck could not understand or sympathize with his inventions and beguile him the time he spent upon them. Mrs. Buck invariably drove the intruding cows or swine from the door-yard with a broomstick; Mr. Buck with what he could first lay his hand on. He kept two separate purses and two accounts. The taxes and wages of hired help were paid from the sale of crops and stock, but when he marketed his butter and eggs the proceeds were invested in articles for the household or trinkets for Mrs. Buck.

Under strong excitement Mrs. Buck's feelings found vent in tears; Mr. Buck's occasionally in oaths, but never vice versa. Mrs. Buck was fond of snuff and carried a snuff-box con-

stantly about her person; Mr. Buck could not endure it. Notwithstanding these and many other differences, however, they were never known to come to blows, and the tenderness with which the old man regarded his other self had even a touch of pathos in it. When on his death-bed and over seventy years of age, he summoned Judge Cushing from Jefferson, twenty miles distant, to make his will, assigning as a reason: "The Judge is the only one of my acquaintances who never spoke an unkind word of Mrs. Buck." He died in 1872, on the same little farm which he had occupied for more than half a century. Of his early history little or nothing was known, but tradition says he came from Pennsylvania, and that he had lived the same dual life from boyhood. Whether it was some inexplicable hallucination, or what is scarcely conceivable, twin souls alternately controlling and sitting in abeyance in the same body, is an enigma we leave as we found, unanswered.

Our stock of fancy goods unexcelled, and at prices so low as to defy competition. Come and see them at the "Identical," 38 Main street, Perry & Riley Block.

Addis, the popular anti-monopolist photographer will be in Los Angeles with his Cottages Rooms about the 15th of November. Wait for pictures till he comes.

Splendid gents suits. Coat pants and vest, for \$12, very heavy. Gents Satinet pants \$2.00 and \$2.50 at the Bazaar corner of Main and Requena streets.

Isaac Norton & Co., corner of Main and Requena streets, are now selling out their Spring and Summer stock at reduced prices. If you want to save money give them a call.

The quickest way to make a fortune is to buy your goods at the Bazaar, corner of Main and Requena streets.

Twenty-five thousand cigars just received to-day and for sale cheap to the trade at the "Identical," 38 Main street, Perry & Riley Block.

For smokers articles, such as briar pipes, meerschaum pipes, meerschaum cigar holders, etc., etc., to see the best and largest assortment in the city go to the "Identical," 38 Main street, Perry & Riley Block.

Spring Street Barber-shop. Purgatory & Barber have engaged another good barber, Mr. Jaeger, from Montgomery Baths, San Francisco. He will have their work done as well and as quick as usual. We invite everybody, guaranteeing complete satisfaction. Mr. Barber cures headache in five minutes by applying his valuable sedative water. Spanish, French, German and Italian languages spoken.

Special Notices.

The Saxe Brothers are en route for Los Angeles, with a magnificent stock of hats of all ages, direct from Kentucky. They will arrive November 10th.

For the best bit cigar ever sold in the city, go to the "Identical," 38 Main street.

For the best genuine Havana cigar, apply at the "Identical," 38 Main street, Perry & Riley Block.

Initial note paper 25 cents per box, at the "Identical," 38 Main street, Perry & Riley Block.

A. S. McDonald, 104 Main street, opposite Court House, has just received a large assortment of rubber boots, all sorts and sizes. Call at once and have your choice.

Moore's Restaurant, on Commercial street, is the proper place to go for a good meal, with a good cup of coffee or tea to drink with it. There is probably no restaurant on the Pacific coast where so many of the substantial and so many of the luxuries may be had for 25 cents. Don't forget the place—Moore's Restaurant, Commercial street. Private eating rooms have been neatly fitted up for the accommodation of families.

New Goods! New Goods! Marxsen Bros., of San Francisco, corner of Main and Third streets, keep constantly on hand a large variety of Dry goods, Clothing, Gents' wear, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, etc. A large supply of new goods just received, and sold at reasonable prices. All goods are of the best quality; no attention goods sold by us. We respectfully solicit the public to examine our goods for themselves. Goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge.

Mr. Sam. Berge, Bill Poster, and general Sewing Agent, has moved to No. 43 Main street, near to the Lafayette Store. All orders left there will be promptly attended to.

PHOENIX Insurance Company, Hartford, Conn., has been authorized to issue policies in New York; North British & Mercantile Insurance Co., London and Edinburgh; Commercial Assets, \$250,000,000, Geo. A. CHAS. R. JOHNSON, 62 E. Temple Block, Los Angeles, Cal.

Peter Lunnery, Main street, second door from corner of Court street, has a splendid assortment of Groceries, Provisions, Wines, Liquors, Cigars, Tobacco, etc., which he offers at the lowest market prices. All goods of the best quality. Orders delivered free of charge.

Five spools of Coat's thread for 25 cts. Four papers American plus for 25 cts. Four pairs of White Kid gloves for 25 cts. At the BAZAAR, corner of Main and Requena streets.

Agency Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company, \$2,000,000; North American Insurance Company, \$1,000,000; State Investment Insurance Company, Fire and Marine, Assets, \$300,000, at Brodrick's Book Store, near the Postoffice.

Ten yards brown factory for \$1. Eight yards extra heavy 4-factory for \$1. Ten yards of 14-16 inch shaker socks for \$1.00. At Isaac Norton & Co., corner of Main and Requena streets, opposite U. S. Hotel.

Agency Imperial of London and Queen of Liverpool; capital, \$15,000,000. North-east of London, capital, \$5,000,000; and Hartley & Co., London, capital, \$5,000,000. Office: Room No. 3 Downey Block.

JOHN CARLIN & AGENT.

Go to the Fashionable Tailor, Fitzpatrick, when you want a fine suit of clothes. If you desire recommendation, ask any of his numerous customers, and you will be told that "Fitz" always does his work well—giving time and good material and reasonable prices.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WOOLEN MILL STORE.

The proprietors of the Woollen Mill Store offer a heavy stock of Home Manufacture, together with fine English and French wools, at VERY LOW PRICES.

In our Merchant Tailoring department, we have a first class cutter, and will make suits to order at from \$25 to \$75. A good fit guaranteed. Farmers and others who desire a suit made at home, and trimmed to be made at home.

PFEIFFERBERGER & SCHAUER.

oct27-1m

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Mayor.
At the request of many influential citizens, P. BEAUDRY will be a candidate for Mayor at the coming municipal election. oct6

For Mayor.
I am a candidate for the office of Mayor, at the next Municipal Election, and solicit the support of my friends. GEO. O. TIFFANY, Jr. oct21

For Mayor.
At the request of many citizens, the undersigned announces himself a candidate for Mayor, at the next Municipal election. F. SABICHL. Los Angeles, Sep. 13th, 1874. oct19

For City Marshal.
JACOB F. GERKENS is a Candidate for City Marshal. oct19

For City Marshal.
R. F. HARTLEE announces himself as a Candidate for the office of City Marshal, at the coming election. oct22

For City Marshal.
FRANCIS BAKER, ex-Marshal, announces himself as a Candidate for the office of City Marshal at the coming election. sep29

For City Marshal.
EMIL HARRIS, Detective Office, desires to announce himself as a candidate for the next City Marshal. sep22

For City Treasurer.
H. FLEISHMAN announces himself as a candidate for City Treasurer at the coming election. sep16

For City Treasurer.
HERMANN NIEDECKEN, Sr., announces himself as a candidate for the office of City Treasurer at the coming Municipal election. sep24

For City Treasurer.
JAMES MELLIS announces himself as a candidate for the office of City Treasurer at the coming election. sep29

For City Assessor.
JOHN Z. MORRIS. oct19

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE LOS ANGELES Poultry Market!

126 & 128 Main Street, Is the only place in town where you can get a FULL FAMILY SUPPLY at the —

Lowest Market Rates.

They keep constantly on hand All the Delicacies of the Season, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, POULTRY, AND GAME of every description.

Fresh Eggs and Butter

Received every day from the country.

Vegetables, Fruits and Nuts,

CIGARS and TOBACCO.

Choice Vegetables!

Received by every steamer from San Francisco.

Also, a full supply of

Pickled Pigsfoot,

Sheep's Tongue,

Bologna Sausage,

Smoked Beef Tongue,

Swiss, Limberger, Holland, Cream, Eastern and California

CHEESE.

LAKE SUPERIOR

White Fish,

Pickled Salmon,

HOLLAND and CALIFORNIA

Herrings,

Sardellen,

Anchovies,

Russian Sardines,

and Caviar.

ALDEN DRIED FRUITS!

Fresh Cranberries,

And many more things too numerous to mention.

Orders from the country trade are promptly attended to at lowest wholesale prices.

Consignments of PRODUCE

Respectfully solicited.

Come and see our stock and convince yourselves.

E. GERMAIN & CO.

PROPRIETORS.

oct24-1m

Thoroughbred Stock.

The Saxe Brothers

ARE NOW EN ROUTE FOR LOS ANGELES WITH

THIRTY THOROUGHBRED DURHAM BULLS!

Of all ages, brought Direct from Kentucky, They will arrive about

November 10th,

When the stock will be placed on the LOS ANGELES MARKET.

A fine opportunity will thus be offered to stock-raisers to improve their breeds.

oct30-1f

M. W. PERRY, BOOK BINDER.

Downey Block, Cor. New High and Temple streets.

NEW IMPORTATION. DIRECT FROM THE EAST! E. LAVENTHAL,

Hellman's Block, Cor. Commercial and Los Angeles sts. Has just received, direct, an immense and well selected stock of goods for the Fall and Winter trade, consisting of fine

Black and Figured Alpacos, Poplins, Diagonals, Wrapper goods, Mohair goods, Shawls of the latest patterns, Eastern and California Flannels.

Also a good selection of BLACK SILKS.

An endless variety of Embroideries and Laces, Ladies Neckwear, 500 Pieces different Brands of Cottons.

Also a very large stock of Clothing, Hats, Boots and Shoes, Trunks and Valises, Boys and Youths' Suits.

200 Colman Bros. Fine Dress Suits. Prices to suit everybody. Don't forget the corner, Hellman's Block. I DEFY COMPETITION. oct7-1f

Immense Sacrifice!



R. SLANEY'S MAMMOTH

BOOT & SHOE STORE

Corner Commercial and Los Angeles Sts.

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE FOR 30 DAYS ONLY.

500 Pairs Men's Tap-soled Calf Boots, 1st quality, \$6.00, formerly \$7.50.

500 Pairs Men's Single-soled Calf Boots, 1st quality, \$5.50, formerly \$7.

500 Pairs Men's Calf Boots, 2d quality (San Francisco make), \$4.50, formerly \$6.

500 Pairs Boys' Calf Boots, 1st qual., \$4, formerly \$5.50.

500 Pairs Boys' Kip Boots, \$2.50, formerly \$3.50.

500 Pairs Ladies' Balmorals, 1st qual., \$3.50, formerly \$5.

500 Pairs Ladies' Balmorals, 2d qual., \$2.50, formerly \$4.50.

500 Pairs Ladies' Buttoned, 1st qual., \$4.50, formerly \$5.50.

Misses' and Children's Shoes equally as Cheap.

Anyone who reads these prices can see that I sell my Splendid and Well-assorted Stock of Men's, Boys' and Ladies' Wear cheaper than any house in the city. I must clear out my present Stock at once to make room for the extensive Winter Assortment now arriving.

